

Briefing to Health Scrutiny Sub-Committee

North East Sector Clinical Services Strategy

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Purpose of the Briefing

To provide the Sub-committee with a narrative which sets out why the NHS is changing in Oldham, Rochdale and Bury and sets the scene for current and future service change in the North East Sector of Greater Manchester.

Executive Summary

The session will set out our local NHS services and why they are what and where they are. It will set out the national, regional and local drivers for change and work completed so far to introduce new ways of working and models of care. It will show how services may start to feel different in the future and how this may affect patients, using case studies. The Sub-committee will also be informed of some 'myth busters' about common misconceptions about the NHS.

The update has been developed by the North East Sector Clinical Services Transformation Programme Board as the basis for communications and engagement work with local people (including public and patients, local leaders and influencers and staff) to prepare them for future change, which could at a future point entail formal consultation.

Requirement from Health Scrutiny Sub-committee

The Health Scrutiny Sub-Committee is asked to comment on the update and its contents and accessibility in order to help shape the conversation with stakeholders, ensure it addresses their interests and concerns and is easily understandable to all.